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Yerazunis et al.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Group Art Unit: 2621  
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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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Dear Sir:

This Renewed Petition is in response to a Decision on Petition  
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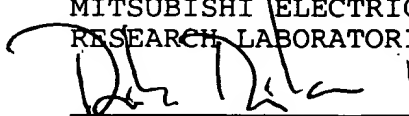
**REMARKS**

This Renewed Petition is to request reconsideration of the Office's decision dismissing Applicant's Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) originally filed on June 23, 2006. The petition fee was charged to Deposit Account 50-0749 on June 26, 2006.

A renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was filed on July 17, 2006. The renewed petition was dismissed because it was determined that the reply did not place the application in condition for allowance. A Request for Continued Examination is included with this renewed petition.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that (i) the Renewed Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) be granted, and (ii) the active status of the above-referenced application be acknowledged. To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including petition and extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 50-0749 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,  
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